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SUBJECT: INFO ON AQUACULTURE IN JAPAN

REF: STATE 038847, TOKYO 1053

1. JAPAN FISHERIES AGENCY PROVIDED ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS LISTED IN REFTEL AS FOLLOWS:

2. NUMBER OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT FACILITIES FOR AQUACULTURE IN JAPAN: 206 (OF THIS TOTAL, 89 ARE DESIGNATED RESEARCH FACILITIES AND 117 ARE CALLED OPERATING FACILITIES). SOME FACILITIES ENGAGE IN BOTH RESEARCH AND OPERATION.

3. NUMBER AND TYPE OF FACILITIES DEVOTED TO EACH SPECIES: ONE RESEARCH FACILITY AND 106 OPERATING FACILITIES ARE DEVOTED TO SALMON AND TROUT; OTHER FACILITIES HANDLE VARIOUS SPECIES ACCORDING TO SEASONS. SPECIES HANDLED INCLUDE CARP, WILD GOLDFISH, AYU (JAPANESE FRESH-WATER TROUT), RAINBOW TROUT, EEL (FOR INLAND WATERS) AND YOUNG YELLOWTAIL, RED SEABREAM, PRAWN, BLUE CRAB, ABALONE (FOR SEA WATERS).

4. ANNUAL BUDGET FOR AQUACULTURE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT: FOR FISCAL YEAR 1974, BUDGET FOR OPERATING RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT FACILITIES FOR AQUACULTURE TOTALED 3,300 MILLION YEN (\$11 MILLION). THIS AMOUNT INCLUDES FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY PREFECTURAL GOVERNMENTS. HENCE, THE AMOUNT EXCEEDS FIGURE CITED IN PARA 3 OF TOKYO 1053.

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5. TOTAL STAFF ASSIGNED TO DEVELOPMENT OF AQUACULTURE IN  
JAPAN: OVER 1,700 (INCLUDING RESEARCH PERSONNEL AND  
ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF) FOR FISCAL YEAR 1974.  
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